# The Telatchman and Southron.

TUESDAY, MAY 27.

in 1850 and the True Southron in 1866. The Watchman and Southron now has the combined circulation and self to his opponent, and so died a vic- and bacon with which so many people influence of both of the old papers, and medium in Samter.

#### EDITORIAL ITEMS.

Gen. Roger A. Pryor, who has become a prominent figure at the New York bar, was blackballed recently on his application for membership in the Bar Association of that City; and all Gotham is agog over the vote. No one seems to know who opposed him and why, for Gen. Pryor is very popular.

We see in the last Hearth and Home a three column article from Gen. Clingman telling what tobacco will do. It oures inflammation, sore eyes, inflamed throat, heals wounds, relieves erysipelas, removes corns and is death on vermin, and in view of these facts we think a law ought to be passed making it a crime with heavy penalty for any one to waste this valuable medicine by smoking or chewing it.

A Philadelphia chap who had strayed across the line into Delaware and while there had stolen an umbrella, was tried, found guilty and sentenced to pay the costs, six dollars fine, one bour in the pillory, twenty lashes and three years in Jail. Now that is piling up the agony too high. We always thought that umbrellas were made to be borrowed and stolen.

The Mecklenberg Celebration on the 20th was very successful. Crowds of people were present and the procession was two miles long. The firemen had a big time; there was a competitive drill of resident and visiting volunteer troops in which the first prize was awarded the Gordon Light Infantry from Winnsboro; Senators Pendleton and Jones made speeches and everybody hurrahed.

The Press Association at its late meeting in Charleston had a very pleasant session. We are not so sure that it was profitable, but whether profitable or not we would have been glad to be there and enjoyed the excursions, lanches, diagers, &c., all interspersed and glorified by the continued feast of reason and flow of soul, which are the noted characteristics of editorial gatherings.

A severe hail storm passed through some of the upper counties last week doing much damage to growing crops The wind, in places, was severe and a big scare was enjoyed by some of the citizens in its track. The disposition to dig storm pits is growing. and after a few more cyclones our pcople will be thoroughly equipped to withstand any convulsion of nature except an earthquake.

The indebtedness of Grant & Ward, the Wall Street brokers is still growing. The latest figures place it at 14,000,-000, and possibly more coming. The senior member, U. S. Grant, has been rewarded by a vote of the U.S. Senate which places him on the retired list with a big salary. Some of the junior members are threatened with State prison and so it goes. The whole kit of them ought to be at Auburn cracking

Hon. D. Wyatt Aiken is in trouble with some of his constituency. His opposition to the Blair educational bill, and his suggestions that the Southern Democrats, in the House of Representatives withdaaw from the national organization, and vote for the best interests of the South, regardless of the wishes of the party, are the casi belli. There is one thing in Mr. Aiken's favor : he has the courage to say what he thinks. We do not share his sentiments on the Blair bill but think he is very near right as to the duty of South-

ern Representatives. B. F. Butler, alias, Bulter, the Beast, has been nominated for the Presidency by the anti-monopolists. though we are glad to say, for the eredit of that party, that a strong protest was made against so disreputable a nominee. Butler has one eye on the Democratic nomination also, and is quietly working to that end. If he should get it, wouldn't he be a dose to swallow! The man who turned our women over to the tender mercies of a brutal soldiery, is hardly the kind of

candidate for Southern voters. lead him to political death.

Kentucky was recently personally as- people need live any better, and have out the proposition, and invite the saulted and cowhided by a lawyer more palatable, wholesome food than the named Corneilson, because of some judi- average farmer of Sumter county, if he lawyer resented. The unwritten law up. All these luxuries will not come houn, editor of the Saluda Argus. He Another thing, I hope the Convention will J. Auld, Agent.

of Kentucky requires that such insults of their own accord or come at once, can only be wiped out by blood; and but they will come in time to those who as Judge Reid disapproved of such a do their part. There are families tobarbarous mode of adjusting differences, day scattered over the County, whose The Sumter Watchman was founded he was boycotted by his friends and table each day is covered with viands fit neighbors to such an extent as drove him for a prince, at an outlay so small that to suicide. He preferred killing him- it would barely procure the corn bread tim to a false, vicious and depraved strive to satisfy their appetite; but is manifestly the best advertising public sentiment which places the physical prowess, that distinguishes a sions, and in that fact consists true bull dog or a Sullivan, at the head of all economy. We offer these suggestions the virtues which should grace mankind. Alas! for our boasted civilization | we feel deeply the importance of ourself when a public official is driven to his taking the advice given to others. But death to avoid the jibes and sneers of we know it is a matter upon which those, who fly in the face of God who many of our readers can profitably ponsays 'Thou shalt not murder '

#### ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS RE-WARD.

We see that the Council has at last

offered a reward for the would-be incendiaries in our midst. We think their action is approved by all, and feel confident that it will bring forth good fruit. Now let the people follow up the good work by organizing a committee, whose duty at fires will be the prevention of theft. If incendiaries could steal nothing, the inducement to burn would cease; and when fires did occur much of the unburned property could enjoyment on that occasion; therefore, be saved for the owner.

### CLUB MEETINGS.

and elected delegates to the County Convention, will do so next Saturday. These club meetings should be wel. attended by the voters. Even if all are of one mind, a full attendance is necessary to keep down the ery of "rings" and "cliques." Let every member at-

tend, cast his vote for worthy men as delegates and then sustain their action cles for our use, and in every way in the Convention. We wish most fervently that elections were four years apart instead of two, as at present and that the people were spared the necessity of spending so much time and energy on political questions; but eternal vigilance is the price of liberty,

and if we expect to enjoy the luxury of good officials and wise laws, we must expect to pay for them in some way. The good things of this life never come of their own accord. Whatever is worth having, is worth working for, and surely good government is

It is useless for the people to sit with folded hands and say they will have nothing to do with politics, because the matter is taken out of their hands, and is run in the interest of a ring. If the Democrats will attend their Club meetings, and vote for wise, prudent men and measures, we would hear less of

It is every man's duty, not only to of public office is a trust imposed upon the people, and they are recreant to ed freemen if, by their supine indifference bad men get control of the offices. This question is of sufficient importance to afford food for thought to all intelligent voters, and we will say in conclusion, that a combination of the best element of the voters of Sumter County can elect any ticket they choose to

# ECONOMY.

This is a dry subject, but a bard, dry

year is before us, and a careful condaily expenses is of importance, even Judge Cothran presiding. As it is enthough it be extremely dry. We tirely to finish up Civil business, there Southern people have the reputation of being extravagant and we deserve it, more especially as to our food. We do not live "high;" the bill of fare of an time. - The excursion to Waccaordinary farmer is short and simple, and the extravagance consists in the very singular way in which he obtains his provisions. Possibly the corn for to the anticipations of all. The day his bread comes from Kentucky, his was spent in boating, fishing, dancing, flour from North Carolina, meat from Chicago, sugar from Louisiana, molasses from Cuba and condensed milk from New York factories. Now if the in length, and only half an inch in said farmer were rich, and money no con- thickness. The entire body was a persideration, this would be all right feet and symmetrical lash. -- On enough, for such wide-reaching purchases would help to keep up commerce. and add to the general prosperity of the to Miss M. L. Harris, from the desk, in country; but he is not rich, in fact, he is which was twenty-nine dollars in poor in this world's goods and getting money. Miss Harris saw him, and more so each year, as a direct consequence of patronizing these far-away barns and meat houses. What we need, is to turn later, however, and the case was settled The M. E. Church, North sent a fra- over a big, new leaf, big enough to by the little scamp, who was not over men will think that I mean anything perternal letter to the A. M. E. Church shut out the wasteful, extravagant, twelve years old, being legally bound sonal, for as soon as the party establishes the conference which is in session in Balti- carcless habits which are fast making ing the amount of his theft. He remore, but no delegate was sent to car- us a country of bankrupts. The farmer fuses to tell what disposition he made sy the letter, and this discourtesy of average means can raise everything of the money. aroused the ire of the A. M. E.'s to needful to make a good meal, except such an extent that they came near sugar and coffee, neither of which are laying the letter on the table and sit- absolutely necessary. A little trouble ting down on it. We are inclined to and care would give every land owner tive elemency, Minor Shropshire, colthink that colored people will eventu- milk, butter, eggs, chickens and fruit ored, sent to the positioniary for life, ally agree with the Southern whites in abundance, and yet how few there from Kershaw county, for the crime of who have told them all along that the are who have these things to even a average Yankee cares no more for the limited extent. People not accustomed negro, than for any other abstraction that to such convenient luxuries, and who ing Rock circuit, passed through town does not bring him money or its equiv- have never made any special effort to last Monday on his way to Newberry. alent. The Northern people see that get them, are apt to think that they are the negro vote in the South will never out of their reach; but it is not so. count aught for them, and they are Fruit costs a little care, a little time, beginning to 'hands off,' and if the but no money; a good cow will pay for ty Convention it would be well for the negro will exercise the commonest politi- her keep, twice over in the saving of Democratic clubs to give an expression cal sagacity, he will extainly sever the meat and sugar; fowls, in the country, of opinion to enable the convention to tie that binds him to a party which can almost make their support, only can not benefit him and will eventually needing a little care and attention as to is probable that the Kershaw Guards their quarters; and of course bread and Judge Reid a prominent politician of meat should be raised at home. No 4th of July We hope they will carry

those families raise their own proviwith an exceedingly timid spirit, for der, and perhaps act.

Washington Street Sunday School. RESOLUTIONS OF THANKS.

The following preamble and resolutions of thanks were unanimously adopted at the meeting of the Washington Street Methodist Sunday school

of Columbia, on Sunday afternoon, 18th

Whereas, on the occasion of our recent picnic, the members of Washington Street Sunday School and their guests were the recipients of marked courtesies and hospitality from the citizens of the beautiful town of Sumter, who thereby contributed largely to our

Resolved. That our grateful acknowledgments are hereby tendered to Hon. Marion Moise, Intendant, and the The clubs that have not already met citizens of Sumter generally, for the earnest welcome so gracefully tendered on our arrival, and for their assiduous hospitality and attentions throughout

Resolved. That to Dr. D. J. Auld Rev. H. F. Chreitzberg, Messrs. Tradewell, Graham, Smith, Epperson, Jervey, and others who so generously assumed the labor and expense of preparing the grounds and providing vehiministered to our comfort and pleasure during the day, our warmest acknowledgments are hereby gratefully record-

Resolved. That our visit to Sumter, and association with its generous and hospitable people, will ever be cherished in our memories, as one of the most pleasant occasions in the history of our

Resolved. That our thanks are hereby expressed to Conductor Wooton, for the gentlemanly, courtesy, care and skill with which he discharged the onerous and responsible duties of the occa-

Resolved That the Secretary of the Sunday School be instructed to communicate a copy of these resolutions to F. A. Tradewell, Esq., Superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School of Sumter with the request that they be published in the newspapers of Sumter.

### Neighboring Counties.

Clarendon Enterprise: On Tuesday last Moses Richbourg was tried for murcliques and more of Democratic har- der, and J. H. Hodge as accessory to the same. The jury found a verdict of not guilty. — The Foreston Post Office has been re-established with the same vote but to use his influence, for suita- postmaster. We hear rumors of seveble candidates; it is equally his duty ral other postoffice changes. - Mr. D. to oppose unsuitable ones. The filling L McKay White, of Manning has applied for a patent for an improvement on a cotton chopping machine. - Rev. C. C. Brown of Sumter preached in the that trust, and unworthy of being call- Baptist Church last Sunday night and after service, one candidate was baptized. There was a very large congregation present. -Mrs. Eliza Richbourg, wife of Mr. George Washington Richbourg, who lives in the Santee section, fell in her yard last Monday. and died before medical assistance could be obtained. It is supposed that it was

Darlington News: Money is scare in our town, and we suggest the idea. that its scarcity is partly owing to the skating mania, the purchase of roller skates having exhausted the finances. -An extra term of the Court of Common Pleas for Darlington County will sideration of what can be saved, in our be held next Tuesday, to last five days will be no jurors in attendance.

Florence Times: Everybody takes a rest during the summer except the printer. There is no rest for him at any maw Lake on Monday last, under the auspices of the Hope Steam Fire Engine Company and the Florence Rifles. was a success, and the pleasures equal &c., and everbody was delighted. -Some boys killed a coachwhip snake in North Florence on Thursday last, which measured six feet six inches Thursday morning last a negro entered Mr. J. B. Killough's office from the rear and snatched a satchel belonging rushed after him, but the scamp was too quick for her, and succeeded in making his escape. He was arrested

Kershaw Gazette: Mr. Isaac B. Alexander died at his home in Camden on Monday morning 19th, inst., in the 73d year of his age. -By Execuburglary, will be discharged from imprisonment on the 1st of next month. -Rev. A. A. Gilbert, of the Hang-When he returns he will bring his bride with him. - As the question of nominating State officers in June will probably be discussed in the Counact in accordance with the views of the majority. --- We understand that it will engage in a shooting match on the ladies to witness the exercise. By the

by, what about the Plame Drill. Camden Journal: We were pleased cial decision by the Judge, which the would make the right start and keep it to receive a call from Mr. W. P. Cal- But silence wont prove it.

in Columbia. For some past Mr. Arrants has been considerd a little 'cranky,' but his freaks were of an innocent nature, and nothing serious was thought of them. However, instead of getting better his actions appeared to be getting more aggressive and it was thought best to send him to the asylum. -We are pleased to see that the new Board of Councilmen are continuing the mprovement begun by the former Boards. All of the principal streets have been placed in splendid order for driving upon, and now the outer ones are receiving attention. The Board have also had nice seats erected upon the different public squares, so that during the coming hot Summer days the weary wanderer may rest in ease and comfort under the shade of the

#### trees. Let the good work go on ! [For the Watchman and Southron.[ Democratic Harmony.

Mr. Editor: I noticed an article in your issue of the 6th inst., from Col. Dargan, ad- topic is discussed just now more than any vocating harmony in the Democratic party of thing else. Although no nominations have Good Democrats who are dissatisfied, and dollar bills from this section before the cam to put a stop to "such tricks in political the Court, because-I wont say why.

tion," such as the last was.

that would represent the choice of the people, low or mean. the following rather novel plan suggested | I never have been in a nominating convenitself to me, which I will state. If you think | tion where the candidates and their friends it worthy of publication, do so; if not, did not do all in their power to secure their hrow it in your waste basket :

Club, however, see that they send only such the plan of making nominations. I never men as will have the inteligence and moral her of the cry being raised about rings, courage to act for themselves, and owe no al- combinations, &c., but what I am reminded legience to any Ring, Clique, man or set of of the anecdote of two children eating lunch : men and vote for any man in Sumter County | One got the largest piece of pie, when the that he might wish to fill any particular other cried out, "You are the selfishest boy I ffice. For instance suppose the Convention | ever saw; I aimed to get that piece myself. ator. Without any candidate being an- resurrected again, and hope by the time our nounced let each member cast his vote for plan of making nominatious is decided upon, to fill that office. The gentleman getting the ready to bury the Convention plan with all highest number of votes be declared the can- its attendant evils, and reinstate the Primary Let each member of the Convention cast his tions to it, yet I know of no better plan to vote for any four men in the County that he successfully put a quietus to the aspirant would like to represent him. The four get- who may think the destiny of the country ting the highest number of votes be declared hinges on his promotion to office, while the the candidates. And so on for Sheriff, Clerk voters think differently; or a more satisfactoof Court, &c., &c. If any who receive the ry way of honoring those to whom honor omination refuse to serve, let the next high- may be due. est take his place. Or if preferred let the two receiving the highest number of votes for Senator be declared the candidates, and the Convention make choice of the two; and the eight highest for Representative, be declared candidates, and the Convention make choice

The Convention being supposed to be composed of our best citizens, and our best citizens voting in their judgment for the best The Oldest Magazine in America. men, will surely give satisfaction, and reflect he will of the people. What say you, Mr. IGNOTUS.

#### [For the Watchman and Southron.] Candidates.

SUMTER COUNTY, S. C., May 22.

worthy gentleman before the public. his power. Well, this is all by the way, and second half-century I hope you will forgive any transgression, but I know how self-contained in their own honesty country people are, and would simply ike to give a feeble note of warning on the

tell him that his office sought him. I wish to draw several things to the minds seems to me, ought to be settled before the campaign opens, I hope that no man or set of of every Democrat to follow them; but you must acknowledge that such methods as are freely charged against "the party" two years ago, with no precedence except among the Radicals, must cause dissatisfaction and, eventually, disruption. First: I want it settled whether a club can send as a delegate, a memher of another township club, not sent by his own club. Second: Have members the right to withdraw their names from their own township club, and join another, further off, and vote? Though I do not know personally whether this was done, I have heard it frequently charged by responsible men and have never heard it denied-and worse things, in fact-and I am sure that nothing short of satisfaction, before we go too far, to every storer saved her life. one who wants to see the pride of his County upheld, to know that all of these questions could be shown to be mistakes or slanders.

| consider the question of negro representation; At a hearing before Trial Justice J. and if it decides to adopt the course recom-W. DePass last week, Mr. J. R. mended through your columns, I hope it will Arrants was adjudged a lunatic, and he | find a more satisfactory manner of obtaining has been sent to the Lunatic Asylum their votes, than any that has yet been dis-A SUBSCRIBER.

[For the Watchman and Southron. ] Bishopville Items.

BISHOPVILLE, MAY 22, 1884. To-day has been the warmest of the season udging by personal feeling. The weather has been favorable for farming operations, and the warfare against grass and weeds is being actively waged.

A few more days of sunshine, and our coton crops wil be hoed and plowed. Corn crops are not very promising. Th stand is badly broken by the bud worms. Oats are beginning to ripen and most of us

are glad of it. Mr. J N. Carnes, lost a valuable horse

few days ago-supposed cause, colic. Your correspondent is losing some of his hogssupposed cause, poverty-no corn to feed them on. There is one consolation, however -we will, in a few days, have some grain fields to turn them on. I hardly know what to write, unless I say

something about politics. I believe that Sumter County-"that there are disintegra- appeared in print as yet for county officers, ing elements at work within the party," I tornk you may safely count on several five talk about "Rings, Cliques, Combinations, paign is over, though whether any of them Packed Conventions," &c., and calls upon will get the nomination or not, is the queshe manhood and intelligence of the County tion. None of us want the office of Clerk of

While the war of words is being waged "Voter," in your issue of the 13th, speaks | against rings, cliques, combinations, &c., with a voice that doubtless echoes the senti- some of us are calmly viewing the situation. nents of hundreds of the good people of our and wondering how it happened, that all th County. While the Stateburg Democratic good people of Sumter County were left out Club has had "a sufficient dose of Conven- in the make up of the managers of the last campaign. We think this wholesale ar It is lamentable (whether founded on facts | raignment of all who may have had anything or not) that such a state of affairs exist. to do with that canvass unwise, untimely Should not every good Democrat, whether in and, to a great extent, uncalled for. While or out of office, stop and consider the good of | there may have been some who were connectthe party, and let personal interest and ag- ed with our different party organizations, grandizement, at least for the present, alone? | who did not scruple to resort to unfair means While reflecting on these matters, and trying to secure the nomination of themselves or o conceive of some means by which har- their friends, yet a large majority of the men nony could be restored, and which at this who composed our different organizations, ime is so desirable, and candidates selected are men who would not stoop to anything

nominations. It always has been so and Let a convention be called as usual, each always will be, as long as "Convention" is wished to nominate a candidate for Sen- I am glad to see the Primary System being any man in the County that he would desire every Democratic Club in the County will be lidate. And for representatives the same, system to remain. Although there are objec-

## Our Exchanges.

The Summerville Herald, a new venture mon the uncertain and overcrowded sea of ournalism, has given us a call. We take off our hat and give it a cordial welcome. It is published by the Summerville Publishing

Although nearly every one knows of Godey's Lady's Book, it is not generally known that it is the oldest monthly publication in America. Established in 1830, it has outlived all other magazines, and might with propriety be called the mother of magazines in this country. Gray-haired men and wo-Mr. Editor: Judging by letters, resolu- men remember it as an entertainer when their tions, calls for club meetings, etc., the County hearts were young, and young people asis gradually awakening from its two years of sociate it with their first introduction to rest from politics; and the time is almost on stories of romance. And the rising genera- Cloth \$1. Address, us, when we shall, at country stores and by- | tion find it as pure and interesting as did its roads, meet gentlemen who astonish us by parents, ay, as its grandparents did in days their evident friendship and keen desire to of "Auld Lang Syne." It is an old and respect any humor which may be on us, ex- well remembered landmark in our American cept that of silence; and even with a past literature, and we doubt not that many of experience, it is some time before it dawns on our readers will recall with it pleasant memo us that something higher actuates this man. ries of other days. The young editor and He is a patriot gaunt, and hungry for glory proprietor, who now publishes it, has evion the public pap-chiefly though, because a dently determined that all who seek to renew number of friends desire it, and would "bolt" | their acquaintance with the old favorite shall before they would vote for any one else; and not be disappointed. As viewed mechanicalather than be rude to this kind friend, who ly, it is excelled by none, while its corps of ems so anxious to be appreciated, as he literary contributors includes many of the stops and talks to us from his buggy, the best known names of magazine writers. It houest countryman is pledged before he certainly speaks well for it and our people, knows it, to do his share in putting this that, notwithstanding the enormous efforts made by the publishers of the numerous Not until he has ridden on and gathered "penny dreadfuls," it finds such a large his scattered thoughts, does he recognize the patronage, not only in America, but all over 'office seeker''-the man, who from vanity the world. Although its low subscription or a love of power wishes to fill the public eve. price (\$2. a year) may somewhat influence or become important in the eye of little fish its large circulation, we are inclined to ascribe f the same genus-little follows, pleased to its popularity to intrinsic merit, and we most coot around and tickle his vanity and show cordially bid the old book God-speed on its

His Slippery Glass Eye. "The Squire," says the author of "The Hoosier Schoolmaster," "wore one glass ey

approach of the campaign, and am sure that and a wig. The glass eye was constantly no honest man, though he hold an office, will slipping out of focus, and the wig turning think I meant him; for his conscience will around sidewise on his head whenever he addressed the people of the Flat Creek District." Sad spectacle. Parker's Hair Balsam preof delegates to the Convention, which, it serves and promotes the growth of the natural hair. It also restores the natural color to hair which has faded or become gray. Clean, Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) has cured me

> miles to get it, and it made me as sound as a J. W. WEYLES, Meadville, Pa. Shriner's Indian Vermifuge is strictly a

> vegetable compound, formulated particularly for destroying and expelling worms. Try it.

Gilder's Liver Pills. Gilder's Liver Pills 25c. a box.

Another Rescue From Death. In 1881, while sewing on a machine, my wife was taken with a severe pain in her side, which was soon followed by hemorrhages from her lungs, severe cough, fever and she positive denial, or the established right to do | could neither eat or sleep, and in a few weeks such things can, or ought to, bring satisfac- she was reduced to a living skeleton. Her tion with those by whom it was done, to others who love the right. I must say again, physician thought one of her lungs was enthat I do not wish to be personal, or do any- tirely gone. At a final consultation of two a royal, valuable box of sample goods that will thing, if I could, to stir up old disputes, but physicians her case was pronounced hopethis seems such a clear principle, which if less. I tried Brewer's Lung Restorer by any business. Capital not required. We will the purchase money, and assign the policy not settled, is bound to bring trouble. It is advice of one of the physicians and she began start you. You can work all the time or in or policies to the Master. Purchasers to pay certainly nothing unbecoming in public ser- to improve after the third dose. She convants, to attempt to satisfy their master, the | tinued the medicine and is now in excellent public, by an explanation; and I am so sure | health, and is better than she has been in it would bring such a sense of relief and glad several years. I believe Brewer's Lung Re- the business, we make this unparalleled offer:

BENJ. F. HERNDON. Yatesville. Ga.

Hotel Brunswick. We copy the following from the Wilming-

Our genial friend, Mr. J. D. Sublett, of the Hotel Brunswick, publishes ut card in his ssue which will explain some misunderstanding that has arisen in the public mind. He is bound to have everything in the best possible shape for the convenience and comfort of his guests. The Hotel will be open for the reception and accommodation of guests on he 2nd proximo.

Sumter folks who visit Smithville this Summer will greatly enjoy the improvements Mr. Sublett has introduced.

#### THE MARKETS.

SUMTER, S. C., May 27, 1884. COTTON .- About 2 bales have been sold during the week ending the 20th. The mar ket closed steady. We quote: Stained 83 @9: Tinged  $9\frac{1}{4}$ @ $9\frac{2}{8}$ ; Good Ordinary  $9\frac{3}{4}$  @ $10\frac{1}{8}$ ; Low Middling  $10\frac{1}{4}$ @ $10\frac{5}{8}$ ; Middling 101@103; Good Middling 105@103.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 24, 1884. Corron.-Market quiet. Sales about 1 iles. Quotations are : Ordinary 10@103 Good Ordinary 11; Low Middling, 1120 118; Middling 118@113; Good Middling, 113@113.

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 26, 1884. SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market quoted firm Rosin-The market duli at \$1.05 for trained and \$1.10 for Good Strained. CRUDE TURPENTINE-Market steady

1.00 for Hard, \$1.75 per bbl., for Virgin Cotton-Market dull. Sales - bales. The following are the official quotations: Low Middling 11, Middling 113, Good Mid-

#### NOMINATIONS. THE COMING SOLICITOR.

We place in nomination Maj. MARION MOISE, as a candidate for Solicitor of the Third Judicial Circuit During the past year Maj. Moise has discharged the duties of this important office with zeal and ability, and as a public officer he has acted in a manner creditable to himself, gratifying to his friends, and acceptable to the people of the entire

THE MANY FRIENDS OF MAJ. W. J. BEARD take pleasure in presenting him before the voters of the Third Judicial Circuit for the office of SOLICITOR. Maj. Beard is an able lawyer, and if elected will do credit to himself and his constituents. MANY CITIZENS.

# CEMETERY

THE LOT-HOLDERS OF THE SUMTER CEMETERY ASSOCIATION are requested to meet at the office of the Clerk of the Court on FRIDAY, the 6th of June, at | ises: 4 o'clock P. M. A good attendance is earnestly desired, as there will be an election of a new Board of Directors, and other important J. B. ROACH, President. J. W. DARGAN, Sec. and Treas'r.

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Estate of Mrs. Sarah E. Winn.

A LL PERSONS holding claims against A said Estate will present same duly atsted, and all persons in any way indebted to said Estate, will make immediate payment or formerly of J. F. Bland, on the South by D. JAS WINN, Qualified Executor.

Estate of Rev. Wm. H. Smith, DECEASED. T WILL APPLY to the Judge of Probate for Sumter County on the 6th of June,

1884, for a final discharge as Executor of the aforesaid Estate. CHARLES B. SMITH.

Executor. Estate of Nathaniel Bradford.

DECEASED. WILL APPLY to the Judge of Probate of Sumter County, on June 6th 1884, for a final discharge as Administrator of the aforesaid Estate.

Estate of John A. Alston, M. D., WILL APPLY TO THE JUDGE OF PROBATE for Sumter County on the 6th day of June. 1884, for a Final Disch as executrix of aforesaid Estate.

# FOR SALE.

EMMA R. ALSTON,

A Few Bushels of My Carefully Selected Upland Long Staple Cotton Seed. THIS COTTON on account of its extra

staple has sold in the Charleston market for the last three years at about 13 cents per bound, or \$7.50 per 500 pound bale above the same grade of common cotton. Price for one bushel, \$3.00; two bushels, \$5.00; first described to the lot last described, said three to ten bushels, \$2.25 per bushel; ten bushels or over \$2.00 per bushel. Apply to Watchman and Southron Office or to THOS. E. RICHARDSON,

Wedgefield, S. C.

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# SHERIFF'S SALES.

Y VIRTUE of sundry Executions to me directed, will be sold at Sumter Court House, on the First Monday in June, next, and as many days thereafter as may be necessary, within legal hours of sale to the highest bidder for cash the following

15 Bushels Corn, 10 bushels Cotton Seed. bushels Peas, 12 bushels Potatoes, 500 Lbs Fodder and 800 Lbs Shucks; all more or less, levied upon and to be sold as the prop

erty of B. J. Barrett, under Warrant of Attachment to seize crop, of Joseph E. Wilson, against the said B. J. Barrett. R. W. DURANT, S. S. C. Sheriff's Office, May 10, 1884.

# MASTER'S SALE.

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, SUMTER COUNTY. IN THE COMMON PLEAS.

H. R. Sanders, Assignee, against Sanders Brothers and W. L. Sanders. OY VIRTUE of a decretal order made in the above entitled cause and dated February 11th, 1884, I will sell at public auction in front of the Court House in the Town of Sumter in said State, on Monday, June 2d, 1884, (or day following,) between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the following prem-

"All that tract of land lying, situate and being in Pafton Creek Township, in said County and State containing one hundred and thirteen acres, more or less, adjoining land of Elizabeth Morris, Thomas Cato, L. M. Spann and Isaac Cato; also, all that other tract of land situate, lying and being in Rafting Creek Township, in said County and State, containing one hundred and one acres, more or less, adjoining lands now or formerly of W. H. Caple, Jos. F. Rhame, Estate of L. M. Spann, Thomas Cato, Sarah Chambers and land known as the Bell Tract, being the tract conveyed to said W. L. Sanders by

F. W. Wagener & Co.' Terms of sale-Cash. Purchaser to pay for

JOHN S. RICHARDSON. May 6, 1884-4t Master.

### MASTER'S SALE. THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

SUMTER COUNTY. IN THE COMMON PLEAS. II. R. Sanders, Assignee, against

Scipio Chatman. BY VIETUE of a decretal order made in the above entitled cause and dated Febuary 11th, 1884, I will sell at public auction n front of the Court House in the Town of

Sumter in said State, on Monday, June 2n. 1884, (or day following,) between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the following prem-"All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in the said County and State, in Rafting Creek Township, containing eighty acres, more or less, bound

ed North by lands of Harrison Mayrant, East by Dr. E. J. Rembert, South by lands of Dr. E. J. Rembert, West by lands of Dr. E. J. Terms of sale-Cash. Purchaser to pay for papers.

# MASTER'S SALE

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, SUMTER COUNTY.

IN THE COMMON PLEAS. H. R. Sanders, Assignee, against

Y VIRTUE of a decretal order made in the above entitled cause and dated Febuary 11th, 1884, I will sell at public auction in front of the Court House in the Town of Sumter in said State, on Monday, June 2d, 1884, (or day following,) between the o'clock in the afternoon, the following prem-

"All that piece, parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in Stateburg Township, in said County and State, containing acres, more or less, and bounded on the North by lands of Burwell Moody, on the South by lands of of January Capers and on the West by lands of Peter Howard and on

the East by lands of Isaac Simmons.' Terms of Sale-Cash Purchasers to pay for necessary papers JOHN S. RICHARDSON.

# MASTER'S SALE.

State of South Carolina. SUMTER COUNTY.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS. George A. Norwood and William D.

Mc Neill, late co-partners as George A Norwood & Co , against Newell G. DuBose, Defendant. BY VIRTUE of a decretal order made in the above stated case and dated Feb-

ruary 11th, 1884, I will sell at public auction

in front of the Court House in the Town of Sumter in said State, on Monday, June 2d, 1884, (or day following,) between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the following premises: "All that certain lot or parcel of land situate and being in the Town of Mavesville in the County of Sumter and State aforesaid. fronting on West Main Street of said Town bounded on the North and East by land not West Main Street and on the West by a lot now or formerly of —— Boykin, said lot having a front of forty-four feet and a depth

of forty-four feet, be the same a little more or Terms of Sale-Cash-Purchaser to pay for papers. JOHN S. RICHARDSON,

# MASTER'S SALE.

State of South Carolina. SUMTER COUNTY.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS. Frank Hennegan and others, Plaintiffs, against Margaret Hennegan and others, Defendants .- Sale for

DY VIRTUE of a decretal order made in Town of Sumter in said State, on Monday, June 2, 1881, (or day following,) between the hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the following prem-

That lot tronting on Liberty Street in said Town, measuring 30 feet front on said street. running back North to the line of the Old Jail lot, lately the property of W. G. Kennedy; also that other lot in the Town of Sumter heretofore owned by John J. Hennegan, now occupied by B. J. Barnett, said lot measuring thirty feet front on Main Street and running East to the lot first described, said lots to be sold separately and subject to a right of way from Liberty Street over the lot right of way to be reserved for the benefit of both of said lots.

The lot fronting on Liberty Street to be sold for not less than \$1,000, and the lot fronting on Main Street for not less than

Terms of sale-1 cash, balance on a credit of 1, 2 and 3 years, with interest from date out you in the way of making more money in of sale : Purchaser to keep the premises ina few days than you ever thought possible at sured for the amount of the credit portion of JOHN S. RICHARDSON,

# CONCORD DEMOCRATIC CLUB

WILL MEET AT LEWIS' CHAPEL at 4 o'clock, P. M., Saturday, the 31st May. By order County Executive Commit- open for the reception of guests. W. J. PRINGLE, President.

# County Democratic Convention.

OFFICE OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, SUMTER COUNTY.

SUMTER, S. C., April 19, 1884. A Convention of the Democratic Party of Sumter County will be held at Sumter, or londay, June the 2nd, 1384, in Music Hall, so elect ten delegates and alternates to repre tent this County in the State Convention. which meets in the City of Columbia, on June, the 26th, and to transact such other business as the Convention ma; deem proper. Each Club will meet and elect, under its own rules, one delegate at large, and one delegate for every twenty-five of its membership. By order of the Committee.

# OFFICE OF

W. D. BLANDING, Secretary.

W. R. DELGAR, Chairman.

The Supervisor of Registration SUMTER COUNTY.

SUMTER, S. C., April 24th, 1884. TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I will attend at the following places: Lynchburg, Thursday, May 8th. Shiloh, Friday, May 9th. Mechanicsville, Monday, May 12th. Manville, Wednesday, May 14th. Bishopville, Thursday, May 15th.

Reid's Hill, Friday, May 16th. Stateburg, Monday, May 19th. M. Sanders' old office, Wednesday, May Smithville, Thursday, May 22nd. Gaillard's X Roads, Friday, May 23rd.

Privateer, Wednesda- June 11th.

Wedgefield, Thursday, June 12th. Mayesville, Thursday, June 19th. Gordon's Steam Mill, Monday, June 30th. Residents of Manchester Township will please attend at Wedgefield or Privateer. I will also be at my office in Sumter, C. H on Monday, May 5th, Monday, June 2nd and Monday, July 7th, 1884, for the purpose of registering all persons who have become of age since the last general election, to transfer all who have removed their residences, and to renew any certificates which may have been lost or destroyed and to grant transfer to all persons who live nearer a polling place in

tificate for one lost or destroyed must present an affidavit of the following form: Personally appeared before me--who being duly sworn says: that he is a duly registered elector in--Township in said County, and that his Certificate of Registration has been lost in the following manner: Here state circumstances of said loss, I and

another township than the township in which

they reside. All persons desiring a new cer-

bartered or parted with the same for any pecuniary, valuable or other consideration, and that he has not willfully destroyed the Those desiring to vote at a precinct in a Township other than that in which he resides must surrender his registration certificate, and parties unknown to the Supervisor must pro-

duce affidavits of parties who are

deponent further says that he has not sold.

stating the fact that the applicant does reside nearer to a polling place in another Township than the one in which they reside. P. P. GAILLARD, Supervisor of Registration,

### Sumter County, S. C. TAX NOTICE.

Hampton Grant and Louisa Grant tion of Taxes for the Fiscal year commencing November 1st, 1883, in Sumter County. The said taxes are payable in two equal installments; the first installment of one-half

hours of 11 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 the first day of June, 1884; but the whole may be paid during that time. The following are the rates per centum of the levy: 1. For State purposes-five mills on every dollar of the value of all taxable property.

will be payable from the first day of May to

2. For County purposes-two and one half mills on every dollar of such value. 3. For payment of the funded indebtedness of the said County, and of deficiences for the fiscal years 1881 and 1882-one and one-

half mills on every dollar of such value. 4. For support of public schools-two mills on every dollar of such value. 5. One dollar on each taxable poll. The Treasurer will in person or by deputy attend at the following places and times for the collection of the said taxes:

Manchester on Friday, May 2d. Wedgefield on Saturday, May 3d. Mayesville on Tuesday, May 6th. Magnolia on Wednesday, May 7th. Lynchburgh on Thursday, May 8th. Shiloh on Friday, May 9th. Johnston's Store on Saturday, May 10th. Mechanicsville on Monday, May 12th. Manville on Tuesday, May 13th.

Privateer on Thursday, May 1st.

Bishopville on Wednesday and Thursday, May 14th and 15th. Reid's Mill on Friday, May 16th. Lewis Chapel on Saturday, May 17th. Stateburg on Monday, May 19th. Sanders' Depot on Tuesday, May 20th. M. Sanders' former Office, near Rembert's Mill on Wednesday, May 21st.

Smithville on Thursday, May 22d. Gaillard's X Roads on Friday, May 23d On the other days from May 1st to Jun

1st, 1884, at his office at the County Seat. W. F. B. HAYNSWORTH, Treasurer Sumter County.

# TAX RETURNS FOR 1884.

THETURNS OF PERSONAL PROPERTY AND POLLS will be received at the fol lowing times and places, viz: Privateer, Thursday, May 1.

Manchester, Friday, " 2. Wedgefield, Saturday, Mayesville, Tuesday, Magnolia, Wednesday, Lynchburg, Thursday, Shiloh, Friday, .. 9.

Johnston's Store, Saturday, "10. Mechanicsville, Monday, Mannville, Tuesday, " 13. Bishopville, Wednesday and Thurs day, May 14 and 15. Reid's Mill, Friday, " 17. Lewis Chapel, Saturday, Stateburg, Monday, " 19. Sanders' Depot, Tuesday,

M. Sanders' former Office, near Rembert's Mill. Wednesday, May 21. Smithville, Thursday, Gaillard's X Roads, Friday, "23. At the Auditor's Office in Sumter from the 1st of May to the 20th of June, inclusive.

Parties making Returns by Mail or by another person, will please give full first name of Tax Payer and the Township the property W. R. DELGAR.

Auditor Sumter County.

# WRIGHT'S HOTEL COLUMBIA, S. C.

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